

The Fifth National Climate Assessment Northern Great Plains Chapter Public Engagement Workshop

Agenda | January 24, 2022 | 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM MT

The links to the workshop will be emailed to those who have registered to attend.

Workshop Objectives

- 1. Provide an overview of the U.S. Global Change Research Program (USGCRP) and the National Climate Assessment (NCA) development process, including other opportunities for public engagement
- 2. Allow members of the public and assessment authors an opportunity to discuss proposed key topics, identify important questions to answer, and share resources
- 3. Give NCA chapter authors an understanding of how workshop participants use assessments, and what could be done to make the NCA more useful for decision-making

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12:00 pm	5 mins	Introduction to workshop goals (available as pre-recording or live)	Allison Crimmins, NCA5 Director
12:05 pm	10 mins	Introduction to USGCRP and NCA5 (available as pre-recording or live)	Allison Crimmins
12:15 pm	15 mins	Summary of the chapter and key topic areas (available as pre-recording or live)	Corrine Knapp, NGP Chapter Lead

30 mins	Stakeholder perspectives: Open discussion	Corrine Knapp	
	We will utilize poll-everywhere and jam-board in each of the key discussion areas below to gauge broad perceptions and priority questions. This will also allow us multiple forms of feedback.		
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	Questions on the assessment development process or proposed chapter content [10 m]		
	Discussion of core questions to be discussed by this assessment chapter [10 m]		
5 mins	Instructions for breakout discussions	•	
	Each chapter topic area will have a designated breakout room with its own link.	Hernandez, USGCRP Point of Contact	
	 At the start of the breakout discussion session, participants enter the breakout room that most interests them. 		
	 For the first 5 minutes of each breakout room, participants are asked to provide feedback via poll-everywhere and/or jam-board. Jam-board is open to participants to capture written feedback. 		
	 If participants would like to take a break, they can choose to sit out a discussion session and then return. 		
	 Every 30 minutes, participants may choose to rotate into another topic room, stay in the same topic room, or re-enter the main room for a wrap up. A wrap up session will be available each rotation except the first for participants who want to leave. 		
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		Trends & Extreme Events	Authors	
		Human Health & Ecological Condition	Authors	
		Resource & Land-Based Livelihoods	Authors	
		Navigating Complex Decision-Making	Authors	
		Building the Capacity to Adapt & Transform	Authors	
1:05 pm	30 mins	Discussion Session 1		
		Participants enter breakout room of interest		
1:35 pm 30 mins		Discussion Session 2		
		Participants rotate into another top for debrief	oic room, stay, or ent	er main session
2:05 pm	30 mins	Discussion Session 3 Participants rotate into another topic room, stay, or enter main sessifor debrief		
2:35 pm 30 mins Discussion Session 4				
		Participants rotate into another topic room, stay, or enter mo		
3:05 pm	30 mins	Wrap-up Discussion		Corrine Knapp
		 Report out, summarize the breakout rooms 		and/or Authors
		Final discussion with participants		

3:35 pm	5 mins	Concluding Remarks	Corrine Knapp
		Opportunities to engage	
		Next steps for the assessment process	